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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Re: Applicant(s): Balazs Kralik, Michael Goldbach, Paul Dagum
Assignee: Rapt, Inc.
Title: Method And Apparatus For Estimation Of Component Gating And
Shortage Risk In Manufacturing Operations
Serial No.: 09/942,249
Examiner: Johnna Stimpak
Docket No.: RAP0008US
Filed: August 29, 2001
Group Art Unit: 3623

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate); and
- (3) Response to Restriction Requirement (6 pages).

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
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Total Claims	20	Minus	20	=	0	x	\$ 25.00	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	3	Minus	3	=	0	x	\$100.00	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee of _____ for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application							\$	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee for Request for Extension of Time							\$	0.00
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- ☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.
- ☐ Please charge our Deposit Account No. 502306 in the amount of \$ 0.00
- ☒ Also, charge any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 502306.

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated October 12, 2005, having a shortened statutory period set to expire November 12, 2005.

No Amendments to the Specification are presented in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.